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IN RE APPLICATION OF:

ROSTOKER, ET AL.,

APPLICATION No.: 09/642,282

FILED: AUGUST 18, 2000

FOR: **PLUG-AND-PLAY CABLE WITH
PROTOCOL TRANSLATION**

EXAMINER: DINH, D.

ART UNIT: 2153

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Amendment and Response to Office Action; and
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2. Provisional Fee Authorization

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Respectfully submitted,
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated July 1, 2004, please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.